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CONSTITUTION OF THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS IS VIRTUALLY COMPLETED

Paris, Feb. 4.—The constitution of the league of nations is expected to be virtually completed tonight at the meeting of the special committee having that work in charge.

While several plans have been submitted, it was learned that the joint Anglo-American program will be the crux of the discussion. It includes a score of articles embracing British and American views, with a preamble outlining necessity for establishment of the league. It was presented at yesterday's meeting of the committee but owing to the fact it was not printed in French it was not generally discussed. The program will be presented in both French and English at tonight's meeting, which will open in the hotel Crillon at 8:30.

An agreement, has already been reached on the principle of reduction

of armaments under the league of nations, according to authoritative information expected to be virtually completed. This means that America's naval program either will be scaled up or down by the league according to its relative policing functions, compared with other powers. It will not be known for some time what naval contribution will be, or the size of its standing army. The details of this clause are not expected to present any great divergence of views, as it has been agreed a nation's share in the international naval and military police coast lines, its colonies and its foreign trade.

President Wilson, as chairman of the league committee continues to urge celerity in preparation of its framework, that the constitution be submitted to the general peace conference for discussion and ratification as soon as possible.

HIGHWAY BILL IN LEGISLATIVE HOPPER

Columbus, Feb. 4.—A highway bill providing for a general re-organization of the highway department—increased salaries—improvements of state roads and restoring the one-half mill levy was in the legislative hopper today.

The bill proposes to increase the salary of the state highway commissioner from \$4,000 to \$6,500 and for the appointment of a chief engineer at \$5,000; three assistant engineers at \$4,000 each; a fiscal agent at \$4,000 and eleven division engineers at not more than \$3,600 each.

The restoration of the one-half mill state levy, cut in 1914 to three-tenths will increase the good roads fund over \$4,000,000.

The bill provides for all the recommendations made by the Ohio road congress.

The senate health committee yesterday reported out for passage the West resolution petitioning congress to appropriate \$5,000,000 for a national fight against influenza.

Resolutions providing for an investigation of "German poison" in Ohio laws and for the proper punishment of the kaiser also were reported on favorably by the senate military committee.

ALL UNION WORKERS WILL GO ON STRIKE

London, Feb. 4.—Every union worker in the vicinity of London will go on strike Thursday unless the government enacts a forty hour week law, it was announced today.

SEVERAL OASIS IN WASHINGTON

Washington, Feb. 4.—The United States may go dry—but for Washington—there will be an oasis, or several of them.

Embassies and legations are technically foreign soil.

Which means they can import all the liquor desired.

Full attendance is predicted at all diplomatic functions.

PLAT IS OPEN FOR SCHOOL MINSTRELS

A ready and rapid seat sale greeted the opening of the plat of the High School minstrel show at Sayre & Hemphill's drug store and the production which is to be staged tonight, is promised a full house.

The minstrel show has been directed by Robert Hurley and is live and snappy with plenty of black face banter, catchy lines and new song hits. The theme of the show is the effect of the war upon a bunch of doughboys in the trenches and their celebration which took the shape of an old-time minstrel performance. The curtain will rise at 8 sharp.

CRIME WAVE BREAKS OUT IN COLUMBUS

Columbus, Feb. 4.—With the brutal murder of a woman, bold holdups and burglaries, the crime wave had broken out again here today.

Mystery surrounds the identity of the murdered woman, whose body was found at midnight last night between the railroad tracks near the Ohio penitentiary. The body indicated she had been assaulted and choked to death.

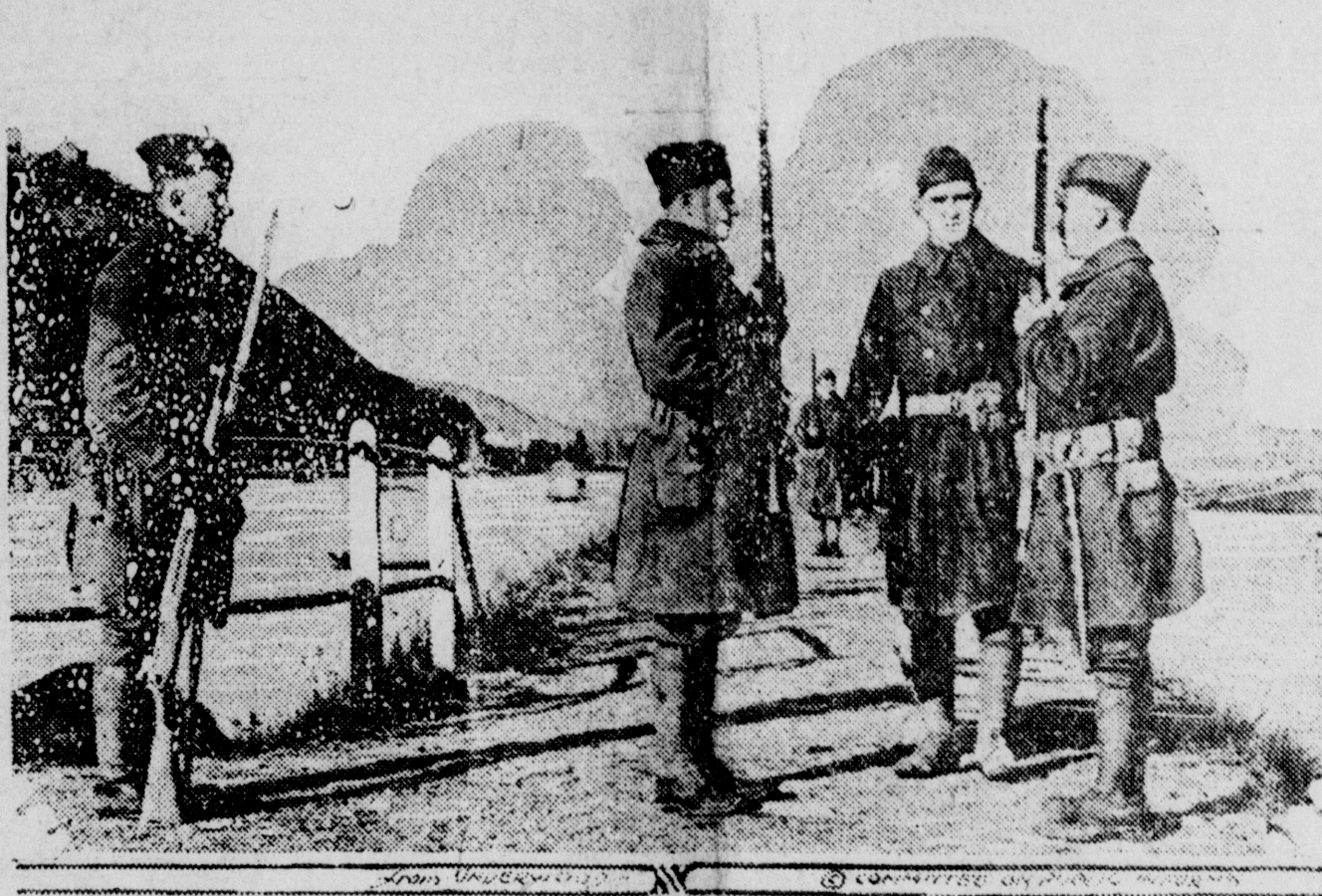
SALE DATES RESERVED

- Feb. 5.—C. E. Hering.
- Feb. 5.—L. E. Smith.
- Feb. 6.—Mel Beal.
- Feb. 6.—Jesse C. Smith.
- Feb. 8.—Jacob Bates.
- Feb. 10.—J. W. Haas.
- Feb. 11.—A. E. Bales.
- Feb. 12.—C. E. Bone.
- Feb. 13.—Fred Hines.
- Feb. 14.—Mrs. J. A. Cooper.
- Feb. 15.—J. R. Roberts.
- Feb. 17.—D. L. Fields.
- Feb. 18.—H. E. Birch.
- Feb. 18.—Turner & Son.
- Feb. 19.—H. E. Birch.
- Feb. 19.—Morg. St. John.
- Feb. 20.—H. E. Powers.
- Feb. 20.—J. H. Stingley.
- Feb. 25.—Watkins Brothers.
- Feb. 25.—Dean and Spencer.
- March 1.—Kennon & Watt.
- March 5.—Driskel Bros.
- March 5.—B. M. Leach.
- March 11.—E. R. & W. B. Corry.

OHIO BILL IS MODEL

Columbus, Feb. 4.—A dry bill similar to the one introduced into the Ohio legislature will be offered in congress. The Ohio bill is to be used as a model.

CHANGING THE WATCH ON THE RHINE



American boys on guard duty at Niederbreisig, Germany, on banks of Rhine.

Life for the boys with the American army of occupation in Germany is very routine these days. Their main task is to guard the

occupied section. This photo just received in this country shows members of the famous Rainbow division at guard relief on the bank of the Rhine at Niederbreisig, Germany. The guard and the man who is to relieve him are at "present arms." The corporal of the guard is standing between them.

PAUL CRESSWELL WINS DECORATION FROM THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT

Lieutenant Paul H. Cresswell of Cedarville, bears the distinction of being the only Greene Countyman in the great war, who has won a decoration from the Italian government for his services to that country.

Lieutenant Cresswell has not yet actually received the official notification that he has been awarded a special honor, but his name appeared several days ago in a list of names of five Americans cabled from Italy to American newspapers as those upon whom Italy had conferred the decoration of a silver cross in recognition of services to that country.

While he is naturally much pleased with the honor, and very proud of it, Lieutenant Cresswell disclaims having rendered any particular act which would have won for him a special decoration.

He was one of not more than forty American aviators who were in Italy, and who took little part in actual hostilities, but did much propaganda work among the Italian people.

So grateful does the Italian government feel toward the aviators for their services, that at a reception which was given for them by the Italian secretary of war, in Rome last November 15, it was learned, by Lieutenant Cresswell that the government would decorate some of them at least for their service.

The Americans were on detached service with the Italians, and during the thirteen months of his service, Lieutenant Cresswell lived with them, ate with them, slept among them. He knew every American military man in Italy, so few were there of them until the Three Hundred and Thirty Second Infantry, the only American infantry regiment sent to Italy, reached there.

Americans took little actual part in the hostilities between Italy and Austria.

Lieutenant Cresswell is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cresswell of Cedarville. He was athletic director in the high school at St. Albans, West Va., when war broke out.

Enlisting in the aviation service, he received his ground school training at Ohio State University. He was sent directly to Italy after going across, and received his training as a flyer at Foggia. After completing his training he was stationed at Malpenna, where is situated one of the largest flying fields in the world. His duty part of the time was that of driving new planes to the front. Although the American aviators were, for the sake of identification, attached to the Eleven Hundred and Eleventh Squadron, they were all of the time on detached service with the Italians, and connected with no American aero unit.

Lieutenant Cresswell trained with "Jack" Seely, who became one of the most famous of American Aces on the French front. Henry Beckley, of Springfield, was another flyer who trained with him.

The 600 Horse Power Caproni, a wonderful Italian airship, was the machine which the Americans in Italy drove. It was built for long distance night bombing. The American aviators were under command of Major La Guardia, congressman from the Fourteenth District of New York, a native Italian. They were greatly devoted to him, and after receiving their discharges from the service a few weeks ago at Hazelhurst Field, N. Y., they went down to Washington to call on him. Lieutenant Cresswell does not expect to return to his pre-war work, but will remain on his father's farm.

RUSSIAN SOVIET GOVERNMENT IS ANXIOUS FOR PEACE BUT WILL FIGHT

New York, Feb. 4.—The Russian soviet government wants peace, and is willing to make concessions to get it, but if the allies insist on war the soviets will fight to the end, Premier Lenin declared in an copyrighted interview, published in the New York World today.

The interview which is the first obtained with the bolshevik leader, was given Robert Minor, an American newspaper man, and was cabled from Berlin by the World correspondent. Lenin told Minor that the soviets were even inclined to pay the debts incurred by the old regime, if by that means the war can be stopped.

Asked what he thought of Russia's eligibility to the league of nations, Lenin replied that "they are not forming a league of nations, but a league of imperialists to strangle the nations."

He added that President Wilson is a "shrewd man."

Lenin discussed American political economic and social affairs and then abruptly asked: "How soon will the revolution reach America?"

The bolshevik premier said he wondered how long Gompers can hold the labor unions as subservient to imperialism as he is.

Describing prosecutions of Eugene Debs as a shame he asks why the American Federation does not do something about the imprisonment of "Big Bill" Haywood.

SPARTACANS WILL TRY TO TAKE GOVERNMENT

Zurich, Feb. 4.—The spartacans will make another attempt Thursday to seize the German government, according to the Vorwaerts.

NEGRO COLONY IN MARION DESERTED

Marion, O., Feb. 4.—The southern negro colony in the Erie Railroad yards was deserted today. Over 200 left the city last night after warnings had been posted at the Erie roundhouse following the attack Sunday upon Mrs. Margaret Christian and the subsequent efforts to lynch her alleged assailant, George Warner, who was spirited first to the Morrow county jail and later to the reformatory at Mansfield.

No further trouble is expected. Mayor Sauter expected to permit saloons to re-open today.

HOUSEWIFE SHOWED SHE WATCHED MARKET

Dayton, O., Feb. 4.—A tip to housewives on the matter of bringing down food prices is contained in one woman's action in a Dayton store yesterday.

The woman asked the price of butter.

"Empty cents a pound," replied the dealer, without even the quiver of the eyelids.

"What's that?" exclaimed the woman. "What about this reduction in wholesale price that is being talked?"

"Well, that may be true, but we bought our stock before the price went down, and we must sell it at the old prices to prevent a loss as long as this stock lasts."

"Well, you aren't going to sell any of it to me. When the prices went up wholesale, yours went up at the same time, but failed to fall on a declining market," she told the dealer.

FRANCE STILL SILENT ON THE U. S. PROPOSAL

Paris, Feb. 4.—With the French still silent today on the American proposal for immediate withdrawal of all allied troops from Russia, the British were continuing to prepare for evacuation of their forces whether the French accede or not.

While the American proposal, which was exclusively announced by the United Press, was based on political contingencies, British acceptance of the plan was influenced principally by the military situation. The American peace delegation had learned through its agents, that Premier Lenin and Foreign Minister Tchitcherin were disposed to accept the associated powers' proposal for a joint conference at Prinkipos, providing the conferences were preceded by complete allied evacuation.

This was said to be the sole reason for the American suggestion, which included French withdrawal from Archangel.

The British decided on evacuating northern Russia because of the increasingly dangerous position of its troops in that region.

In British military circles, it was admitted today that only the question of physical difficulties will determine whether their troops will come out by the end of April or sooner. The Murmansk contingent could be moved quickly but it is recognized that a quick movement would be attended with great danger. The troops involved include four thousand Americans and 20,000 British and Canadians. There are also great quantities of supplies and material in that region which the allies have no intention of abandoning. However the military problem has been carefully studied and the plans are reported to have been completed, even to the number and size of the ice-breakers that will be required.

CABLE SERVICE INTERRUPTED
Tokio, Feb. 3.—Pacific cable service to Tokyo is interrupted by a break inside of Tokyo Harbor. The repairs will require five days, it is said.

PREPARE FOR BLIZZARD
Chicago, Feb. 4.—The Great Lake region today prepared for a blizzard. Heavy snows and intense cold were expected to sweep in from the Dakotas. A drop of thirty degrees in temperature was the forecast.

SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE IS ACCUSED OF AIDING THE PACKERS

not the packers, were waxing wealthy. Lasater charged that the department of agriculture had refused to appoint investigators. Houston, Lasater alleged, opposed a study of livestock growing, saying it only gave agitators a chance to stir up discontent among the farmers.

Francis J. Heney and members of the senate agricultural committee, have openly accused the department of agriculture of being friendly with the packers.

Washington, Feb. 4.—Secretary of Agriculture Houston may be called upon to answer charges presented to the congress packer probers that he aided the packers by blocking investigation of producers.

According to testimony of E. C. Lasater of the National Live Stock Association, the packers did not desire the producers' investigation simultaneously with them. This, it was stated, would have cheated them of their contention that the producers,

FRED W. O'DEA IS WITH REGIMENT NEAR THE BORDER OF SWITZERLAND

Instead of returning home, the regiment with which Private Fred W. O'Dea, Xenia boy, is connected, has been moved to a camp close to the Swiss border.

The following are extracts from two interesting letters received by his family recently from the young soldier, which were written December 25, and December 30.

I arrived here with seventeen others after a most interesting trip across France. This camp, (Camp Valdahon,) is located in the Alps, near the Swiss border, and not so far from Metz. I thought I would not get to rejoin my company, but they sent transportation for me. When I got to Benanon I saw my first snow, and was in doubt how I was going to stand it, but when I arrived in camp and stepped out in the snow, it was warmer than back in Coetquidan, near the coast.

The air here is very bracing, and the barracks are the best I have been in since leaving Camp Taylor. It ought to be good for everybody, so far as health is concerned. I don't expect to start back yet for quite awhile, as none of the combat troops will go back until things are all settled. We belong to the Sixth army corps, and may be in the army of occupation yet.

As a Christmas gift I got your box today, the twenty-fifth, and it brought back a lot of other Christmas days spent under very different conditions. Here is how I spent this one:

We got up and went to midnight Mass in the quaint French church over in Valdahan about one mile away, and this is one event I don't ever expect to forget. My friend, John Crone of the Cincinnati Enquirer played the organ, while a Frenchman who used to belong to the Metropolitan Opera Company played the violin.

The French have a cross on top of one of their buildings in camp which is lighted this week, and you can see

it for miles around. That's how we found our way back to camp. I am sending you some post card views of the town, which is about 30 miles from here. It contains some wonderful sights, of which I will write you later, but let me mention one, the clock in the church at Benanon. It is one of the world famous clocks.

I got to see it the day we came here, as we laid over there for seven hours. My Christmas dinner was the best meal I have had since I have been in the army, but here's hoping I will spend my next Christmas in good old Xenia, O. The sweater you sent me I am wearing while I write this letter. It is the best thing you could have sent me. The candy is gone already, but a taste of something from home makes a new man of one.

December 30.
I am still in this camp, and the chances are that we will be here for some time. The Thirty-ninth division was named to go home among the first, but I guess the orders have been changed. We don't know when we will start back. It may be a month or two or it may be six months yet. There is also talk of us being sent to Russia. If the sun would shine here for a change once in a while this would be a fine place for scenery. This morning the clouds are so close that the mists are right close to the ground. We are so high up.

My regiment will probably be mustered out at Little Rock, Ark., so will have to make another long trip or two after getting back to the states, which I hope will be soon, but I won't be surprised at anything, as we are still drawing equipment, and the 140th drew tanks yesterday, and also some tractors, but we have to draw our full equipment even if we were to move in a short time.

His address is: Private Fred W. O'Dea, Headquarters Co., 142 Field Artillery, 64th Brigade, Camp Valdahan, France.

AMERICAN ACE IS GUEST OF HONOR

New York, Feb. 4.—Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker, of Columbus, Ohio, was the principal guest last night at

the Waldorf-Astoria at a dinner given by the contest board of the American Automobile Association and other organizations.

Rickenbacker, started out as principal guest and then his mother stepped in to take the honors away from him.

ROYAL STABLES AT BERLIN FIRED BY REDS



Stables at imperial palace in Berlin in flames.
During the recent attempt of the "Reds" to overthrow the Ebert government in Germany rioters in Berlin set fire to and destroyed the stables of the imperial palace. Attacks were made on the government buildings during the riots in an attempt to take possession or destroy them. The Reds were unsuccessful, failing to dislodge the Ebert regime.

FULL SPEED AHEAD!



U. S. S. Pennsylvania.

This remarkable photograph was taken from a naval seaplane and shows the United States super-dreadnaught "Pennsylvania" at full speed ahead at sea.

LOCAL ITEMS

A class in Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick has been organized and will meet Friday evening, February 7, in the class room in the basement of the court house. There are a few vacancies and anyone wishing to join the class should leave her name and fee with Miss Johnson at the Social Service League headquarters not later than Thursday.

Let us tell you about our free sale bill proposition. Call at this office.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Marshall of the Upper Bellbrook pike, are the parents of a son, born Sunday night.

One office room now vacant. Call at Gazette office.

Mrs. Raymond Spahr of near New Jasper, has almost recovered from an attack of pneumonia.

We will consign 45 head of pure bred unrecorded yearling Oxford ewes to Mrs. Cooper's sale, February 14. P. H. Flynn and Son. adv.2-5

Mrs. David Vanard of near Jamestown, who has been very ill of a nervous breakdown, is convalescing.

Officers and men of the Three Hundred and Twenty-ninth and the Three Hundred and Thirtieth Regiments, who reached New York and Newport News last week, are expected to reach Camp Sherman today or tomorrow. F. H. Dumber of Yellow Springs, is among the wounded Ohio soldiers who were received at the base hospital at Camp Sherman Monday.

GIRLS! HAVE WAVY, THICK, GLOSSY, HAIR FREE FROM DANDRUFF

Save your hair! Double its beauty in a few moments - try this!

If you care for heavy hair, that glistens with beauty and is radiant with life; has an incomparable softness and is fluffy and lustrous, try Danderine.

Just one application doubles the beauty of your hair, besides it immediately dissolves every particle of dandruff; you cannot have nice, heavy healthy hair if you have dandruff. This destructive scurf robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, and if not overcome it produces a feverishness and itching of the scalp; the hair roots famish, loosen and die; then the hair falls out fast.

If your hair has been neglected and is thin, faded, dry and scraggy or too oily, get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine at any drug store or toilet counter for a few cents; apply a little as directed and ten minutes after you will say this was the best investment you ever made.

We sincerely believe, regardless of everything else advertised, that if you desire soft, lustrous, beautiful hair and lots of it—no dandruff—no itching scalp and no more falling hair—you must use Knowlton's Danderine. If eventually—why not now? adv

WEATHER REPORT

Fair tonight, except light snow extreme northeast portion, colder; Wednesday fair, colder east and south portions.

Kenneth Hickman, little son of Ray Hickman, who has been ill of appendicitis, and a patient at the Espey Hospital for several weeks, is improving.

Farm for Sale—The William G. Taylor farm of 80 acres, between the upper and lower Bellbrook pikes about 5 miles from Xenia, will be sold by order of court in partition, at the west door of the court house, Xenia, Feb. 8th, at 10 a. m. Inquire L. T. Marshall or Miller & Finney, Attorneys. 2-7

Clement Reutinger, son of Mrs. Clara Reutinger, was lying at the point of death Tuesday afternoon at his home on West Market street, following a collapse. The young man has been very ill for several months.

Storage rooms. Gazette Bldg. 2-15

Ladies of W. R. C. will meet at the traction office at one o'clock Thursday to go to the thimble party to be held at the home of Mrs. James.

For Rent—An unfurnished living room for a man only, centrally located. \$4.00 a month. Address C. W. F. care Gazette-Republican. 2-6

Lieut. Eber Reynolds, who is stationed at Camp Sheridan, Alabama, arrived home Monday evening for a ten days' furlough. He is one of sixteen dentists who have been retained at Camp Sheridan and he has no idea when he will be discharged.

Wives of the members of the local lodge of Elks are requested to meet in the card room of the Elks Lodge at 7:30 Wednesday evening, in the interest of the musical comedy to be put on by the Elks, "Let Her Go." Manager Bocklet and Director Jackson-wishes to have everyone present to arrange the matter of chaperones for rehearsals and for other business in connection with the production.

The Ladies' Aid Society of White Chapel church will meet at the home of Mr. Daniel Turner Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. L. A. Woolley entertained a number of young people at her home east of Xenia, Saturday evening, in honor of Earl Woolley's birthday. Among those present were, Mrs. M. Hayslett and daughter Marguerite, and Arthur Woolley, of Dayton. Miss Marguerite has been a guest at the Woolley home for the past week.

Dr. James I. Good, of Philadelphia, Pa., will speak at the First Reformed church Wednesday evening at 7:30, on the Churches of France and Belgium. Dr. Good is well acquainted with the work of the Protestant churches of these countries, and will have much of interest to give the people of Xenia.

Mrs. John Gardner and her little son, have left the Casad Hospital, where the baby was born, and are at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Stokes.

Pretty invitations have been issued by the Girls' Friendly Society, for its big Valentine day dancing party, which will be given in the Elks' hall, February 14. It has been some time since this popular society has given an affair of this sort, and it is planned to make this dance one of the prettiest of the season. The event will be carried out in the nature of a regular Valentine party and the hall will be prettily decorated for the occasion. Both cards and dancing will feature the evening.

Automobile For Sale—Paige six, 5 or 7 passenger, runs good as new, looks good as new. New cost \$1975, will sell for \$850. Call C. A. Kelble's store, 17-19 West Main St. adv.2-4

Regular meeting of Ivanhoe Lodge No. 56, K. of P., Wednesday evening, Feb. 5th, at 7:30 p. m. Degree work. Members are urged to be present. A. J. Taylor, C. C.

Obedient thimble club will meet with Mrs. Asa Price, North West street, Thursday afternoon. Election of officers.

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William Junior, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. William Reeves, of New Burlington, died at the home of its parents at two o'clock Tuesday morning. Death was due to pneumonia following an attack of influenza. The child was only three months of age. Besides the parents, there is a little sister, Ruth, surviving. Funeral services will be at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon.

The funeral of Mrs. Herman Finley will be held Wednesday at 10:30 at the home. Interment at Woodland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Moores, of Los Angeles, California, arrived in this city Tuesday afternoon for a visit with Mr. Moores' sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Minor, of Leaman street.

Nice sized assorted Potatoes, home grown. Special price \$1.50 per bushel. Jacob Hyman, corner King and Main streets. adv.2-4

For Sale—Couple oak bed suits, book case, gas stoves, and number other household articles at 409 West day. adv. 2-4

Miss Opal Barnes of the Xenia City Schools resumed her school work at McKinley building Monday, after an absence of several months, which was caused by a severe illness of bronchial pneumonia.

First Methodist church prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. New members urged to come to meet the older ones, and the older ones to welcome the new. The official board of the church will meet in regular monthly meeting at the close of this service.

Mrs. Leah Hill and grand daughter, Mary Agnes of Springfield; Mrs. Elizabeth Allen, Miss Elizabeth Street, of Jeffersonville, O., W. C. Hurless of South Solon, George Metty, Ray Augustus of Xenia, were the week end guests of Walter Augustus and family.

Trinity Methodist church will have special attractive features at the prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. Miss Henrietta Logan will sing. The pastor will speak on "The Most Important Thing for A Christian to Do," a message for Christians who want to grow. The new members of the church will find the meeting just what they want. All members of the church should come. Last week eighty persons were present. This week should have many more.

There is no winter of discontent for the man who carries sufficient insurance. See Douglas Custis. adv

GOOD HOUSEKEEPERS USE BEST. That's why they use Red Cross Band-Aids. All leading grocers, a cents.

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EAST END NEWS

Mrs. Anna Offutt Sears of Paris, Ky., is in the city for a few days visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Offutt of E. Market street.

Mr. Edward Miles has been confined to the bed again for the last few days. He came out before he had fully recovered from his recent illness and suffered a relapse. He is getting much better.

Mr. Henry Ewing sustained an injury to his right eye Thursday while chopping wood; a stick flew up and struck him.

Jesse Orare's relatives here have received word that he has been converted and was baptized last Sunday in Fort Wayne, Ind., where he has resided for several years.

St. John's A. M. E. choir rehearsal Wednesday night at eight o'clock. Every member is requested to be present.

Mr. Wilbur Baker has accepted a position as second trainer for J. H. Hall, horseman, of Mansfield, Ohio.

"Fireproof" Orientals. Orientals seem to be immune to the fierce heat of the fireproof in ocean steamers, and can endure for a great length of time temperature that would speedily prostrate white men.

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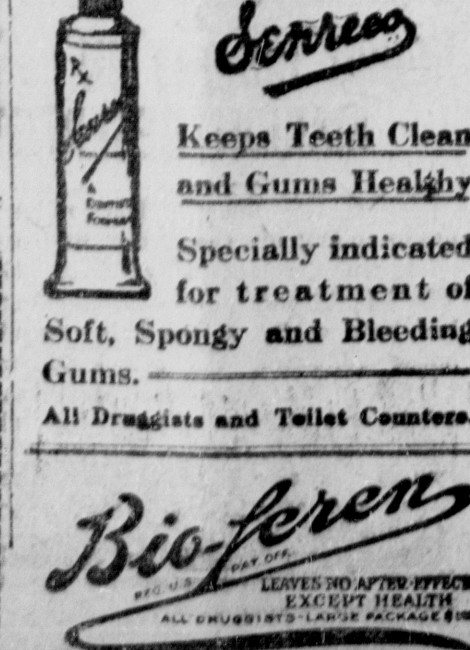
Any man or woman who finds that they are going backward, are not as strong as they used to be, have lost confidence in their ability to accomplish things, are nervous and run down should take two Bio-feren tablets after each meal and one at bedtime.

Seven a day for seven days. Then take one after each meal until the supply is exhausted.

Then if your nervousness is not gone, if you do not feel twice as strong and energetic as before, if your sluggish disposition has not been changed to a vigorous active one, take back the empty package to Sayre & Hemphill and your money will be returned.

No matter what excessive worry, overwork, too much tobacco or alcohol, have weakened your body and wrecked your nerve, any druggist anywhere is authorized to refund your money on request if Bio-feren, the mighty upbuilder of blood, muscle and brain, does not do just what is claimed for it.

Note to Physicians: There is no secret about the formula of Bio-feren. It is printed on every package. Here it is: Lactin; Calcium Glycero-phosphate; Iron Peptonate; Manganese Peptonate; Zinc Vanilate; Potash; Gentian; Phenolphthalein; Osmarasin Capicum; Kola. adv



"Yankee Doodle." The tune, or jingle, is very old and the author or authors were of the dim old ago. The tune under different names can be found among the peasant dances and nursery rhymes of England long before 1600. In Ireland in those days it was a jig tune; in Spain a sword dance; in Holland a song of labor and nursery rhyme; in Germany a folk song and dance; in Poland a folk song and dance.

X-Rays in Tuberculosis. In the finished positive photographic print, the lungs of a normal person show white—this representing the air contained in the cells of the lungs. If the lung is diseased—as in pneumonia—it will show dark t. e., the cells being occluded with matter. Tuberculosis is diagnosed by the spotted, mottled appearance of the affected lungs.

Life's Great Lesson. The lesson that life duns into us with such ceaseless iteration that it seems impossible that any of us could ever fall to hear it is: To make haste to be kind.—Rhoda Broughton.



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service in the U. S. Navy on the Flag Ship Melville, is home for a 10 days' furlough. He with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orange Conner, are spending a few days in Dayton with relatives.

Mrs. Charles Jenkins and daughter Mary, entertained at tea Thursday evening. Mrs. W. A. Cooper, Mrs. Dr. Bevin, Mrs. Robert Turnbull, Mrs. C. E. Thuma, Mrs. John Adams, Mrs. L. S. Farquhar and Mrs. Harry Frazier.

Mrs. David Bowers, of Delaware, Field Secretary of the Woman's Home Missionary Society, of the M. E. church, gave an address at the church Wednesday evening. Mrs. Bowers was the guest of Mrs. Gertrude Taylor, while in Jamestown.

Mr. Albert Wickersham spent Thursday in Dayton renewing old acquaintances.

Miss Grace Turner entertained the girls in her class at school and a few other friends on Tuesday evening of last week. Refreshments of sandwiches, pickles and Nabiscoes were served.

Mr. O. F. Reeves and family spent Sunday in Spring Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hopping, of Loveland, spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Oglesbee and family.

Mrs. Will Zeiner is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Baldwin, and family of Xenia, this week.

Mrs. L. S. Farquhar entertained at a six o'clock dinner on Friday, the Misses Sarah Gray, Lucy Zartman, Maude Miller and Myrtle Dodd.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Little attended the funeral of a very dear friend, Mrs. Hawkins, on Friday, at Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Lackey spent Friday the guests of Mr. Will Per-

guson and wife, of Yellow Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Paulin are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Frank McGuire, of Columbus, and are in attendance at the Farmers' Meeting held there this week. Mrs. Paulin represented the Jamestown Rural Improvement Club at the Federated Clubs of the state at this meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodmansee, of Highland, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson, of near Xenia, spent Thursday afternoon and evening, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lackey.

Mrs. Catherine Sutton left Monday for her home in Los Angeles, Calif., after an extended visit with her son, Will Sutton, and family.

Mr. Foss Zartman, of Lima, was the guest of his sister, Miss Lucy, and Mrs. Will Watson the first of last week.

At the meeting of the School Board held Monday evening, Miss Edith Pryor, of Xenia, was elected to fill the place of Mr. Mason as principal of the Adams street school. Mr. Mason resigned to take up another line of work.

At the meeting of the M. E. Sunday School Board the following officers and teachers were elected for the coming year: Supt. C. A. Devoe; Asst. Supt. J. Q. Adams; Secretary, Catherine Shickley; Asst. Secretary, Virginia Moorman; Pianist, Kathryn Long; Asst. Pianist, Mary Jenkins; Chorister, Mrs. Wm. Watson; Treas., Glenn Perry; Teachers, Mrs. John Brakefield, Mrs. W. A. Cooper, Mrs. Lew Reitzel, Mrs. Weller, Mrs. Ernest Thuma, Mrs. C. M. Thompson, Mrs. Frank Zeiner, Mrs. W. M. Smiley, Mrs. R. W. Zimmerman, Mr. John Brakefield, C. W. Moorman, and Ernest Thuma.

The Dingess property next to the post office, has been purchased by Macie Clark, and he with his family will remove there about the 1st of March.

Sergeant Frank McLaughlin, of Fairfield, and Miss Shigley, of Springfield, were calling on friends Thursday evening.

Rev. F. E. Dean and family are moving this week on the farm known as the Wilson farm, off of the Lackey road.

ARMENIAN RELIEF FUND IS STILL \$1,100 UNDER QUOTA

The campaign for the Armenian and Syrian Relief Fund is making progress in Greene county. Yesterday's report to the district office at Dayton showed \$5,200 within \$1,100 of the amount the county executive committee set out to raise. Four thousand one hundred and seventy-eight dollars of this has been raised outside of Xenia, Xenia having raised \$1,022 of the amount reported.

Xenia's quota is \$2,100. Workers are needed in Precincts A and B. If some willing persons will volunteer to help out in these two precincts and the canvassers of the other precincts will push their work tomorrow's report will show Xenia and the county over the top for the maximum amount set for this county. Let the people of the city and the county who have had no one approach them for a contribution to this most worthy cause send their money or subscription to Rev. H. J. Jewett, the county chairman or to C. L. Babb, the county treasurer. This morning one man in Precinct A. phoned Mr. Jewett that he had not been visited by a canvasser, but that he wanted to give \$25.00. Others have sent in their checks. Let's pull Greene County up by Wednesday noon.

YOU KNOW, BUT SOMETIMES FORGET

Everybody knows an imitation is never so good as the genuine article. Foley's Honey and Tar stands at the top of the list of family remedies for colds, croup, whooping cough, bronchial and croupy coughs. W. L. Anglin, Antioch, La., writes: "I have used Foley's Honey and Tar 15 years. It is the best." Sayre & Hemphill.

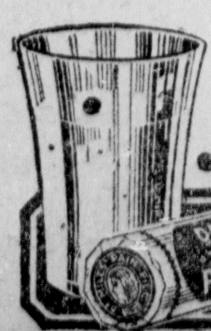


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YOUNG COLORED MEN INDICTED FOR ROBBERY

Within two days after their arrest Lewis Overstreet and Melvin Watson, colored lads, charged with being connected with several recent hold-ups, were indicted by the grand jury Monday on charges of robbery.

The indictment charges them with assaulting Harrison Shingledecker, and robbing him of \$4.50, the night of January 25. The men confessed to police that they had also assaulted Isadore Hyman, son of L. S. Hyman, clothing merchant, near his home on East Market street, and Arthur Gray, colored, the same night. Robbery was not committed in either of these cases, the assaults being frightened away by the cries of their victims.

Edward Dickerson, who obtained Horace Garrett's pay envelop at the Hooven & Allison mills through forging the latter's name to a note sent by a messenger, was indicted for uttering a forged money order. The offense was committed last Saturday. Dickerson is 19 years old.

A joint indictment on two counts was returned against Joseph Hicks, John Kizzie, Thomas Jones and James Frazier, who burglarized the home of Orange Ellison on the Jamestown pike, a week ago Monday.

John Nooks and his father and brother, Bud and Alva Nooks, were indicted for the larceny of two hogs valued at \$70 from Walter and Harry Graham, the night of January 7. Bud and Alva were indicted jointly, and a separate indictment was returned against John. John is a minor, and his case was disposed of by the juvenile court, who committed him to the Mansfield Reformatory. His attorney brought habeas corpus proceedings in common pleas court. The grand jury was recalled last Saturday for a special session to dispose of the cases that had accumulated.

Tendency to Constipation?

USE THIS LAXATIVE!

Dietitians advise a "careful diet," but that is troublesome to most people; physical culturists advise "certain exercises," which is good if one has both the time and the inclination. Doctors advise diet and exercise and medicine. The question is, shall it be a cathartic or purgative medicine? Or a mild, gentle laxative?

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THE RIDDLE OF SHORTAGE OF MONEY FOR SOME PUBLIC AFFAIRS.

From every part of the State comes the same complaint, shortage of funds to meet public expenses, and of course accompanied with the necessary inquiry: "What are we going to do about it?"

Whatever else may be to blame for this condition, there is no doubt but that the "high cost of living" stands out as one thing in the category. Salaries had to be raised. No one needs to ask why, for people had to live. Another item in the bill against the infamous Kaiser and the other war lords who plunged the world into desolation.

With us here in Xenia the shortage of funds to meet the expense of our public schools has appeared as the most crying need of the community. The reason that it is so much of a crying need is that it touches every family. In this age of the world, and amidst a civilization like ours, the man who does not want his children educated is a heathen in that matter. Education is the one thing that a parent can provide for his children which they cannot lose, and which no one can take from them. They may lose a hundred other things which a generous parent may give them, but not so with education. Hence its inestimable value. It is the one thing to be prized above nearly everything else.

Looking the State over and realizing the emergency, the Ohio State Board of Commerce has felt constrained to offer advice on the possible way to secure additional public revenue to meet the needs where there is deficiency. The Board says: "At this time there is a financial situation confronting many communities throughout the state which must be met. From the officials in these communities comes a most insistent demand that one measure of relief for them is to be found in raising the limits in the Smith tax limit law. The Ohio State Board of Commerce believes that this would be a most unwise procedure, even if it could be accomplished in the face of the overwhelming public opinion opposed to such action. And if the legislature agreed to amendments to the tax limit law, a referendum upon the act is available to the people. But the present limitations of the one per cent law should be maintained without change."

We presume that these recommendations of the State Board of Commerce are primarily intended as advice to the members of the Legislature rather than to the general public. About the only real help that is suggested is that which has always been followed, to-wit: when out of money issue bonds.

It doesn't seem as if it needed a special communication from the State Board of Commerce to tell the people that. Every community in the State, groaning under the burden of bond interest, knows it only too well. Of course the Board suggests limitations as to time limit and enlightenment of voters. But these are minor matters, of which the public thinks little, the main thing is "get the money."

Xenia has a fine illustration of how this "old thing" works—the interest, we mean, which works nights and Sundays. In the year 1887 the city built a "city hall," now our noble opera house, and in part payment thereof issued bonds for \$17,500. These have been renewed from time to time, up to the present. Refunded in 1901 for twenty years the last issue will be due in 1924, and at that time will represent to the tax-payers as follows: original investment \$17,500, interest \$48,457.50. This was shown by J. W. Santmyer, clerk of the city sinking fund board, six years ago. How's that for a high financing, \$48,000 interest on a \$17,000 debt.

In the matter of securing increased revenue, this State Board of Commerce report has this to say, which may be a pertinent suggestion for home consumption:

"We would call attention in this connection to the fact that there is much evidence indicating that the present measure of raising revenue from the tax duplicate has not been exhausted. Valuation can be increased in most localities. The City of Akron has lately completed a revision of the tax duplicate with the result that it has been increased over 60 per cent. That means 60 per cent more revenue at the same rate of taxation. Columbus is at this time making a complete revaluation of the property, and the indications are its tax duplicate will be substantially increased. It is, of course, to the interest of every taxpayer to have the present power of increasing his tax burden exhausted before others are authorized."

BOYS AND REVOLVERS.

A bill has been introduced in congress to prohibit the shipment of explosives and firearms to minors. It is meant primarily to prevent the purchase of revolvers from mail-order houses by lads likely to misuse them.

This is a step in the right direction. Such legislation, if it proves legal and practicable, should be supplemented by state and municipal laws calculated to keep certain types of firearms out of the hands of minors and also of adults who have no business with them.

Rifles and shotguns for legitimate hunting or target-shooting are one thing; revolvers are quite another thing. It may be granted that even boys, especially in rural districts, may properly possess the former if they have skill and sense enough to use them properly. But the time has passed, in almost every American community, when it is necessary for anybody, young or old, with the exception of police authorities, to carry or own pocket firearms.

Most of the crimes of violence nowadays are perpetrated by youths with revolvers. Most of the cases of accidental shooting are due to having loaded revolvers in the house. It is time to class revolvers with whiskey and deadly drugs, and restrict their distribution.

THE PROMOTER'S WIFE

BY JANE PHELPS.

THE GLAMOUR OF A COLLEGE EDUCATION

CHAPTER II.

Neil Forbes was a college graduate. That too was another attraction to me. High school had been all possible for me, and for most of the boys and girls of the town. One or two of the boys had gone away to work their way through college, but they never had returned to their home town. So Neil was the first college man with whom I had come in contact.

He had been graduated about a year. He was just twenty-seven the spring he came to Huntingdon. He was working in a capitalist's office in New York. His father was dead, but he had a mother and two sisters in Canada. Of course he didn't tell me all this the first time I met him, but gradually as we became better acquainted.

His vacation lasted a month. We got up picnics and did all the things small town people, without much money, can do to entertain a visitor. He taught me to play tennis; but I beat him always at croquet. The time fairly melted away. I never had been so happy in my life as I had been since Neil came to visit his aunt. It had soon become "Neil" and "Neil" with us. And he spent almost as much time at our house as he did with his aunt.

Neil admired everything in the town. He often said how restful it was after the hustle and bustle of the city; and he thought the trees and flowers wonderful. When we told him that a place very like ours could be rented for about fifteen dollars a month, he said one couldn't get a single room for that in New York. That such a home was out of the reach of all but millionaires. It made me quite proud of my home when he talked that way.

His aunt told mother in confidence—they didn't know I was where I could hear—that Neil was getting a hundred dollars a week in the office, and that he was expecting a raise.

A hundred dollars seemed a fortune to me. It didn't need mother's surprised exclamation to make me fairly gasp. Why, no young man in Huntingdon ever earned as much as that. I doubted if more than two or three of the men in town had more than that to spend—men with families. It gave Neil an added interest

in my eyes. Not that I consciously liked him any better because of his riches—as such an income seemed to me. But it proved his ability.

Neil was a happy-natured fellow, always joking and smiling. He was tall, straight, without an ounce of superfluous flesh, although no one could speak of him as "thin." He had dark brown hair and laughing eyes. He dressed well, and was thoroughly well-groomed. Is it any wonder that I should have loved him almost from the beginning? And that my dreams were colorful because of the part he played in them?

Now that I have told how Neil looked, I suppose I should try and describe myself. Barbara Hill. Well, I was neither short nor tall. I was very light with almost gold-colored hair, but instead of the blue eyes that usually go with such hair, I had deep violet eyes. I had a good nose, eyes, and mouth like other girls. Although Neil said I had the sweetest mouth he ever saw. But that was because I had dimples in the corners.

When Neil told me he must go the next day—he had already overstayed his time, and could not go to Canada for a few days, as he had intended—I cried all night long. Then it took me an hour in the morning to remove the traces of my tears.

We spent that last morning together, wandering through a little wood near the house, and sitting on a log where we had often sat and talked of different things—Neil doing

most of the talking. Someway I felt my lack of knowledge when with him, although he never in any way obtruded the fact of his better education.

"I shall miss you all," he had said, digging his stick in the soft moss at our feet.

"And I shall miss you," my voice trembled.

"Shall you really, Bab?" then he put his arm around my waist, and kissed me on my cheek. "Will you answer my letters if I write you?"

"Indeed I shall," I returned as brightly as I could; yet with a queer little feeling of disappointment that he hadn't said more.

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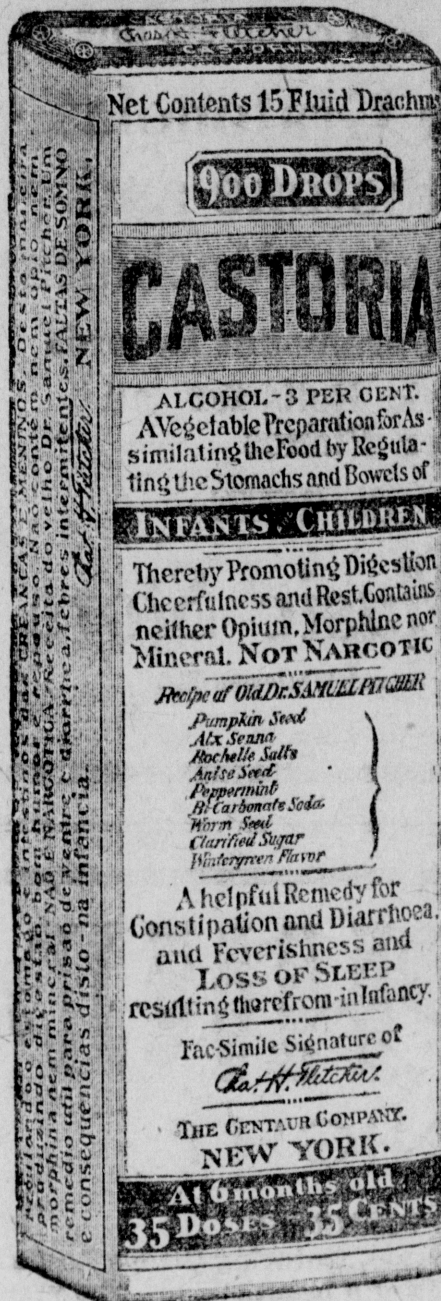
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Dated this 17th day of January, A. D. 1919.
J. Carl Marshall,
Probate Judge of said County.

Taboo.

When anything is forbidden, or its exclusion is ordered, English-speaking people sometimes say it is "taboo." The word is derived from a custom once common in Polynesia and New Zealand. It signifies something set apart or prohibited because of its being either sacred or accursed. The system originated in a superstitious dread of the invisible powers of evil.

OPEN NOSTRILS! END A COLD OR CATARRH

How To Get Relief When Head and Nose are Stuffed Up.

Count fifty! Your cold in head or catarrh disappears. Your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more snuffling, hawking, mucous discharge, dryness or headache; no struggling for breath at night.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist and apply a little of this fragrant antiseptic cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothing and healing the swollen or inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Head colds and catarrh yield like magic. Don't stay stuffed-up and miserable. Relief is sure.

The City of Light.

To me the real Ville Lumiere is New York. It scatters lights with the prodigal richness with which the heavens scatter stars. It strings them in long lines; it banks them in towering faades; it flings them in hand-fuls up into the darkness; it writes them on the sky. Twilight offers you a special beauty because wherever you are in the city it brings out for you in one window or another that first wan, primrose-colored beacon—in some ways more beautiful than the evening star. Behind the star you don't know what there is—From "The City of Comrades," by Basil King, in the Saturday Evening Post.

AUTO PAINTING

By Expert Workman

C. W. GRIESBAUM

Rear 18 W. Market
XENIA

REV. MACAULAY MAKES ADDRESS DEFENDING "Y"

Rev. George S. Macaulay, of this city, who recently returned from foreign service with the Y. M. C. A. in France, delivered an interesting and instructive address in defense of the Y. M. C. A. at the Second Presbyterian church in Springfield Sunday evening. Rev. Macaulay said in part:

"I am not a Y. M. C. A. man essentially, and I don't intend to take up 'Y' work for life," he said, "but wait

Application For Parole

Notice is hereby given that Albert Smith, a prisoner now confined in the Ohio State Reformatory, Mansfield, Ohio, is entitled, under the law and rules governing paroles from said institution, to recommendation to the Board of Clemency, by the Superintendent and Chaplain as worthy of consideration for parole. Said application will be for hearing on and after February 11th 1919.
J. E. CLARK, Chief Clerk.
adv. 1-21,28,2-1

until you get the facts before you form your conclusions. When you do get them we will be satisfied and content to abide by them.

"The one big thing we had to depend on was the eternal human equation. For instance, if one incompetent secretary was placed in a camp of 500 or 1,000 men, just 500 or 1,000 enemies of the 'Y' were made.

"We made mistakes, but so did every organization there. Even the infantry, the cavalry, or the artillery was not 100 per cent efficient.

Captain Was Explicit.

"One day I went to a camp in the woods where a veterinary unit was stationed. I approached the captain in charge and asked him if there was anything I could do for him.

"I don't want a damn thing to do with the Y. M. C. A," he replied.

"Finally, after asking a number of questions I found out from him that there was another camp about fifteen or twenty miles away where a 'Y' secretary was stationed. The secretary had talked to him about a month before, asked him what he wanted, and the captain being anxious to obtain some amusement for his men, agreed to a proposition offered by the secretary.

"It was arranged that entertainers be obtained for the next Friday evening. The captain had his men rig up an old barn, make a platform, set up rough seats and whitewash the walls of the place. A French officer and

his staff from a nearby village were invited to attend.

Then There Was No Show.

"Friday night came and nobody showed up to do the entertaining. "Could you blame that officer for being mad," Dr. Macaulay asked.

In explanation the speaker said: "That secretary was not authorized to make that proposition. He had not the right, and furthermore he had failed to apologize to the officer and his men for his misconduct."

The story of another man who had entered "Y" work was told by the speaker, who had endeavored to obtain a man to fill the place with the veterinary unit.

"When I looked at the man proposed, I thought he would not do. We had never had enough men, but I told this officer I would get him a secretary as soon as I could.

"I brought him to the camp, introduced him to the officer and the men, and was starting to leave when he asked, 'What the hell will I do here?'"

"When I told him to look around for a few days, see what was needed and then requisition it, he asked: 'How can I do it?'"

Army Takes Their Autos.

"Afterwards when the 'flu' hit the camp, this man buried a number of boys with Christian rites, and placed a stone at each of their graves. In private life he was a druggist.

"At another time when we had things going good the army stepped in and took our automobiles. I have no criticism to offer for that. They needed them and were entitled to them.

"Another thing I want to tell you is that the canteen was not part of the 'Y' program. It was practically forced on us by a general order from General Pershing, asking that we take over this department.

"We bought from factories in America, paid exorbitant freight rates for transportation and sold the material for what it cost us. The commissary department bought from the factories and paid nothing for transportation. They were therefore able to sell cheaper than the 'Y'.

"Don't Criticise the Boys."

"Imagine then what condition existed where a commissary station and a 'Y' canteen were stationed in the same camp."

After detailing some of his personal experiences as supervisor of 85 camps and as purchasing agent, wherein the charges of profiteering and incompetency were blamed on unusual conditions and unnatural circumstances which, he said, it was impossible to eliminate, he continued:

"Don't criticise the boys when they come home. Don't get on them for smoking cigarettes. I put cigarette in the mouths of wounded men on stretchers and lighted them for them.

"I don't approve cigarette smoking, but I don't think the boys should be criticised. They have faced temptations you don't know anything about and have passed through them.

Temptations Ever Present.

"Of course, some individuals did not pass through these temptations, but the great mass of the men will come back to you as clean as when they left.

"Immoral conditions in France are not stopped by the police. They do not even frown upon it. Saloons are everywhere; everything is wide open. But the French people are not immoral. You will find bad conditions everywhere.

"Right here let me add a word for the women of France. I have seen them. I take off my hat to them, and always will. I have observed them do all kinds of work that a man does in peace times. I have no criticism to offer. Take off my hat."

DON'T SPOT LYOWN CLOATHES. Use Red Cross Ball Blue and keep them white as snow. All grocers.

STAR HURLER BACK IN CHICAGO FOLD



Red Faber.

Urban "Red" Faber, the pitching star of the 1917 world series, has signed up with the Giants for this year. Faber left the team early last season and entered the naval service.

POLICE NEWS

A charge of disorderly conduct filed by Charles Oliver, white, against Mrs. Golden Stevens, colored, was dismissed by Judge Smith when it was brought up in police court Tuesday morning. Oliver claimed that Mrs. Stevens had taken occasion to spank his small son.

Wheeler Kimbro, was arraigned on a charge of drunk and disorderly filed by Nelson Willhite, both colored in Police court, Tuesday morning and the offending one given a fine of \$5.00 and costs.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Remaining unclaimed in the Post Office at Xenia: Greene county, O., for the week ending Feb. 1, 1919.

List No. 5.
Alexander, Miss Anna L. (408 E. Church.)
Bishop, Bill.
Cortwright, Miss Alberta
Cline, William (558 E. Main St.)
Craig, George
Clemons, Pvt. Chester A. (715 E. Main St.)
Deloe, Esther.
Druley, J. O.
Dibritt, Frances (R. R. 8)
Fields, Mrs. Mary
Lockley, Mrs. Lela (1400 E. Main St.)
Miller, Mrs. W. E.
Mitchell, Rev. F. J. (Leyman St.)
Ohio Art Co.
Sherman, Miss Hazel (323 W. Main St.)
Shoup, Miss Hallie (R. F. D. 5)
Tolle, Ollie
Returns from D. L. O.
Lacy, Imo (R. R. 1)
H. E. RICE, P. M.

Peculiar Canadian River.

What is perhaps the most wonderful river in the whole world, and one which is certainly unique of its kind, was discovered by a party of prospectors exploring what is known as the "Smoky River Region" in northern Alberta, Canada. Briefly, it is a river of mud—that is to say, although its course is well marked, with banks clearly defined, as in an ordinary river, its bed contains not water, but thick liquid mud of the consistency of molasses. The mud river flows, as does a water river, but, of course, much more slowly. In fact, its progress during the time the party were observing it more nearly resembled that of a glacier. Unlike a glacier, however, there is no terminal moraine. A glacier at its foot melts and flows away, leaving an accumulation of rocks, but any heavy masses that may be in this river of mud must settle to the bottom and remain concealed by the mud itself. This mud river debouches on a plain spreading out fanlike and forming a morass of unknown depth and extent.

DAYTON MARKETS

Wheat—No. 1, \$2.30.
New Corn—\$2.10 per cwt.
Oats—65c per bu.
Rye—\$1.35 per bu.
HOGS
Hogs — Receipts 2 cars. Market steady.
Choice heavies\$17.25@17.35
Select butchers and pack-ers\$17.25@17.35
Heavy yorkers\$17.85
Light yorkers\$15.00@15.50
Pigs\$13.00@14.00
Choice fat sows\$16.50@16.75
Common to fair sows\$16.00@16.50
Stags\$11.00@13.00

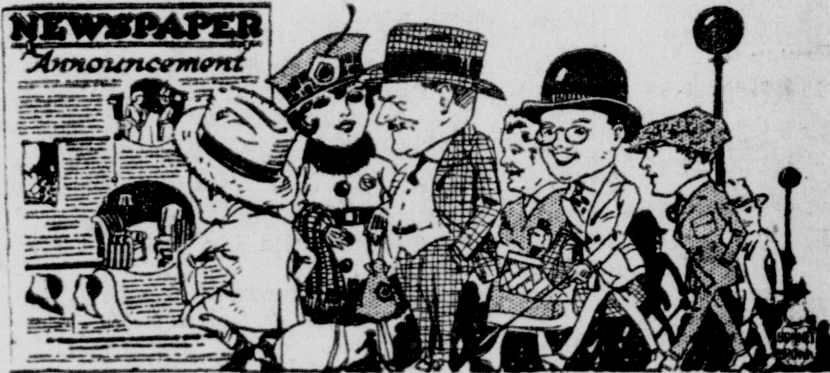
CATTLE

Cattle — Receipts 3 cars. Market lower.
Fair to good shippers...\$12.00@14.00
Good to choice butch-ers\$10.00@12.00
Fair to medium butch-ers\$8.00@10.00
Good to choice heifers...\$10.00@12.00
Fair to good heifers...\$8.00@10.00
Fair to good fat cows...\$7.00@8.00
Choice fat cows\$9.00@10.00
Polona cows\$5.50@6.50
Butcher bulls\$9.00@10.00
Polona bulls\$8.00@9.00
Calves\$10.00@15.00
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts light and steady.
Sheep\$7.00@9.00
Lambs\$10.00@12.00

IN A JIFFY STOMACH PAINS LEAVE—FOOD DIGESTS

Pepsinco Works Quickly and Surely. It's The One Stomach Remedy That Never Fails to Do the Expected.

Thousands of persons never leave the table until they take their Pepsinco. It keeps the stomach in fit shape. It keeps the bowels regular. Pepsinco is a safe and sure friend. It's always ready for use. If your meals don't agree with you; if food sours; if an unnecessary fullness follows a meal; if gas pressure effects the heart—take Pepsinco after your meals for awhile. Mrs. H. says she was never without stomach misery till a friend recommended Pepsinco. She took them regularly for a month and now can eat and savor any food set before her. We would suggest if any trouble arises after eating that you do as Mrs. H. did—Take Pepsinco. It can be had at the drug store. Stop and get a package today and save your stomach.



Why-Oh Why?

---have really BIG merchants SUCCEEDED?
Because They Advertised Judiciously

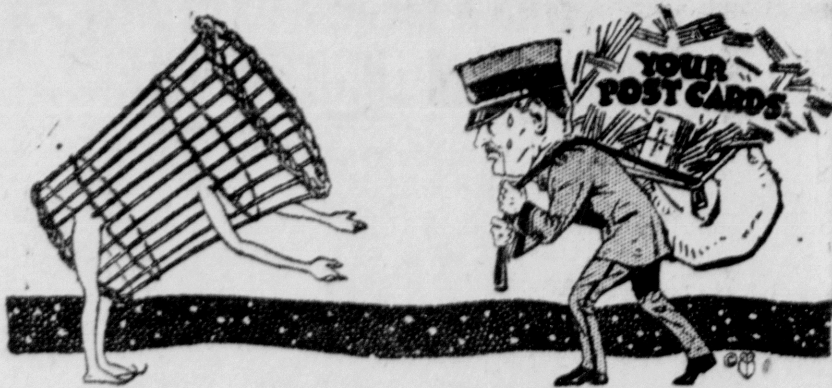
They didn't rely on costly—POST-CARDS—MAILING CARDS—HAND-BILLS—or—TACKED UP POSTERS—they used—

Newspaper Space

(Liberally, Too)

NEITHER DID THEY WAIT FOR A "SELLING SEASON"—THEY CREATED ONE. MR. MERCHANT—Do you REALIZE that—75 per cent of all—POST-CARD—"PERSONAL-LETTER"—CIRCULAR-LETTER matter sent out is GRABBED BY

Mr. Waste Basket



(UNOPENED—UNREAD—TOTAL WASTE to YOU—A FACT)

GAZETTE-REPUBLICAN

readers—take our papers because they READ them word for word—ADS too—clear thru. They read in the quiet of their own homes—when they have TIME to read, to talk over with their families or others WHAT they read, to digest, so to speak—facts and figures—to compare values—

It remains—merely for YOU Mr. Merchant—to SUGGEST the article—then sell it, by convincing the reader.

PRICE VS. QUALITY

One of the two sells everything

Call Our Ad-Man---He Will Help



Boys' Suits \$15

They shine for their fine quality points and novel style features. Superb suits; the season's best sellers with mothers who know the satisfaction of buying

Perfection Clothes

THE KIND REAL BOYS WEAR These special \$15 de luxe suits are convincing exhibits of how to get prime value in boy's wear this season. 3 cracker-jack models in this \$15 group. And different—all newest trench norfolk styles. Panned and military backs; flap and slash pockets. Made from superior fabrics that will see a boy through his hardest romps. Easily the season's best boys clothes event.

The Criterion
A store for Dad and the Boys
22 South Detroit Xenia, O.



War Is Over

Why pay war prices any longer. Come to clearance sale now on. Men's and boys' fine clothing. Suits, Overcoats and trousers, one third and one-half off. See our fine overcoats and suits, \$21.00, \$18.50, \$16.50, \$15.00, \$12.48, \$9.85.

One-fourth to one-third off on Mackinaw Coats, Sweaters, Shirts, underwear, hosiery, hats, caps, gloves.

Great bargains in footwear. Ladies, Misses, Children's, Men's and Boys' fine dress shoes and solid everyday shoes, one-fourth to one-third off. Best makes rubbers, arctics, felt boots, rubber boots, one fourth to 1-3 off. Don't miss this sale.

C.A. Kelble's
BIG STORE,
17-19 West Main

Can You Beat It?

To prevent misuse of automobiles a device has been invented that prints within a locked box a record of the time and duration of every stop made by a car to which it is attached and the distance and speed between stops.

PROMINENT XENIA BUSINESS MAN CALLED BY DEATH

William E. Eavey, president of The Eavey Wholesale Grocery Company, and one of the most widely known business men in southern Ohio, died at his home, 685 South Detroit street, at 5:15 Monday evening.

Mr. Eavey's health began failing a year ago. Last summer he was examined by several expert diagnosticians, but the cause of his decline in health was never completely arrived at. The attention of specialists, expert medical men in different lines, failed to restore his health, and during the last few weeks he declined rapidly. The few days he lay in a state of semi-unconsciousness, arousing at brief intervals, when he would recognize the relatives at his bedside.

Born in Xenia, April 10, 1868, Mr. Eavey was in the fifty-first year of his age when he died. He was a son of the late Henry H. Eavey, one of the founders of the wholesale grocery firm of Eavey and Company, by which the present incorporation was formerly known.

When his father was in partnership in the wholesale grocery business with J. D. Steele and the late W. B. Harrison, William Eavey began traveling for the firm as salesman. It was then he acquired the fine qualities of salesmanship which continually increased and made him an expert in that line. He had a clementine throughout his territory which could not be shaken, and he was recognized as one of the best salesmen in his line in the state.

For nearly thirty years, Mr. Eavey was connected with the business founded by his father, and into which he and his brother, H. Earl Eavey were taken as partners after the retirement of Messrs. Steele and Harrison. This was a mutually agreeable arrangement, and the sons gradually assumed the responsibilities of the business as their father's advancing age and ill health caused him to retire. H. H. Eavey died April 18, 1918.

Only a few weeks ago the business was incorporated, and William E.

BREAKS A COLD IN JUST A FEW HOURS

"Pape's Cold Compound" ends gripe misery—Don't stay stuffed up!

You can end gripe and break up a severe cold either in head, chest, body or limbs, by taking a dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken.

It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages in the head, stops nasty discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed up! Quit blowing and snuffing! Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only a few cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Be sure you get the genuine. adv

A WOMAN'S BACK

The Advice of This Xenia Woman is of Certain Value.

Many a woman's back has many aches and pains. Ofttimes 'tis the kidneys' fault. That's why Doan's Kidney Pills are so effective.

Many Xenia women know this. Read what one has to say about it: Mrs. David Pohl, 751 W. Second St., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills cured me of kidney trouble, and I am glad to recommend them. I suffered with lameness in my back quite often, but the most trouble came from bladder disorder and I was annoyed by the way my kidneys acted. When I got up, I felt tired and drowsy and it seemed as if I never could get enough rest. Doan's Kidney Pills, which I got at Donges' drug store, helped me right away and two boxes cured me entirely. I haven't been bothered that way at all since."

Price 60c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Pohl had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y. adv

1,500,000 FRENCH KILLED

An Atlantic Port.—France in four years of conflict to preserve her own liberty and that of the world, according to Andre Tardie, French high commissioner to the United States, has lost 1,500,000 men killed and as many wounded. America owes France an enormous debt of gratitude for this heroic outpouring of her life's blood and also for the reported saving of thousands of lives in this country and throughout the world through a perfect remedy for stomach, liver and intestinal ailments which, it is said, has relieved incalculable suffering and prevented thousands of surgical operations. George H. Mayr, prominent Chicago chemist, imports the ingredients and sells this remedy in America under the name of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Sayre & Hemphill, and druggists everywhere. adv

EVERYONE AGREES THAT THIS IS A



Have you got your share—will your supply of Footwear be sufficient for some time?

Buy Shoes now while you can—

Save Money!

An opportunity that does not come very often.

MOSER'S SHOE CLEARANCE SALE

Lasts Until Saturday, February 15th

Be Sure to Come

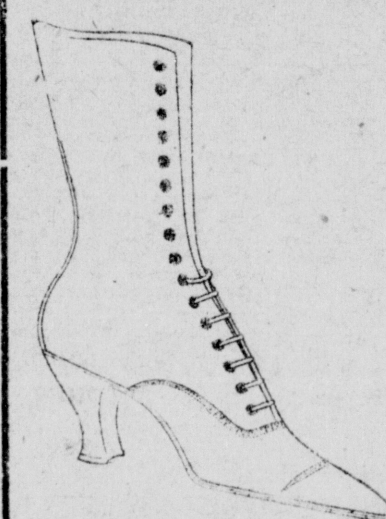


Men are taking advantage of our Great Shoe Clearance Sale—they know that when Moser cut the price of Shoes they always get double values.

Men's Black Gun Metal, Button Shoes, for \$3.19

Men's Black Gun Metal, English and Broad toe in Button, Blucher or lace, extra values, \$4.19

only Every pair of Men's Shoes in our Stock is Reduced Buy your Shoes NOW.



Women's Shoes PRICED LOW

Come in while the assortment is at its best. Our high grade shoes for Women are all reduced. Staple lines as well as the novelty style. We'll have a pair for you.

Sale Prices \$3.95 up to \$9.90

Special Lots

Odd and End lot of Women's Shoes (on rack) at \$1.69

Broken lines women's high grade shoes, many styles, sale price \$2.95 On Racks

Black, brown and gray kid skin shoes values to \$8 \$3.95 Sale price \$3.95 On Racks

Boys shoes for \$2.19 Gun metal, button or blucher styles. On Racks.

Moser's SHOE STORE
For Better Shoes

BAKED BEAN SUPPER IS UNIQUE AFFAIR

Eavey was made president. H. Earl Eavey is vice-president and manager and Walter R. Harner secretary and treasurer of The Eavey Wholesale Grocery Company.

William E. Eavey first married Miss Bertha Keplar of this city, who died when her two daughters were very young. His second marriage was with Mrs. Corinne Webb Stewart, who died after a few years.

About five years ago, Mr. Eavey married Miss Lula McCallister of this city, who survives him, and who was his most loving and devoted companion, giving him throughout the long period of his illness a most thoughtful and self-sacrificing devotion.

He is also survived by two daughters and a son, Mrs. Chester R. Hinkle, of Troy; Mrs. Delver Belden of this city, and little Henry Eavey. Two sisters and a brother survive. Mrs. Arthur H. Perfect of Ft. Wayne, Ind.; Mrs. George R. Schuster and H. Earl Eavey, Mr. Eavey's step mother, Mrs. H. H. Eavey, lives at the old home.

Mr. Eavey was a member of Christ Episcopal church and he belonged to the Masonic and Elks lodges.

Funeral services will be held at the home Wednesday at 3 p. m. Friends may call Tuesday evening between 7 and 9 o'clock.

THEATERS

BIJOU

Pretty Marion Davies, acclaimed one of the most fascinating stars of the screen, is at the Bijou Theater Wednesday in that charming Select Picture offering "Cecilia of the Pink Roses." The picture has been directed by Julius Steger and features George LeGuere, who has garnered fame opposite Shirley Mason, in the famous series, "The Seven Deadly Sins."

ORPHUM

Charming Junita Hansen, well-known to local picture fans, has the leading role in the Bluebird photoplay "The Sea Flower," which plays at the Orphum Theatre Wednesday.

FARMER HOYLE OF ROUTE 1 STRONG FOR NERV-WORTH

IT QUICKLY BANISHED RHEUMATISM THAT AN ATTACK OF THE "FLU" HAD MADE WORSE.

In making the following enthusiastic statement Mr. Chas. H. Hoyle of Spring Valley, carried out his desire to permit its publication in order to do all the good he could for fellow sufferers. He expressly says so:

Sayre & Hemphill—Had been troubled for several years with rheumatism and after a severe attack of the "flu" it became worse. In addition I was nervous, irritable and generally run down. I couldn't sleep well and was out of fix all around. Life was miserable. I tried Nerv-Worth and after just one bottle I feel like a different man. I sleep well and eat heartily and am fast returning to my former vigor. I WOULD NOT BE WITHOUT NERV-WORTH IN MY HOME. It has done me marvelous good. I want others to know it. It has real merit.

CHAS. H. HOYLE, Spring Valley, O. R. F. D. 1 Your dollar back at Sayre & Hemphill's Drug Store if Nerv-Worth does not do for you what it did for Farmer Hoyle. Ask Demonstrator Brown for a sample dose. adv

Coal Sale

When in need of coal think of the CITY ICE & COAL CO. The best quality. We guarantee 2,000 lbs. per ton.

Bell 343-R. Cit. 23-B.

WOMEN NEED SWAMP-ROOT

Thousands of women have kidney and bladder trouble and never suspect it.

Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble or the result of kidney or bladder disease.

If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they may cause the other organs to become diseased.

Pain in the back, headache, loss of ambition, nervousness, are often times symptoms of kidney trouble.

Don't delay starting treatment. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, a physician's prescription, obtained at any drug store, may be just the remedy needed to overcome such conditions.

Get a medium or large size bottle immediately from any drug store.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention The Xenia Gazette or The Xenia Republican. adv

JUDGE KYLE SUSTAINS THE PROBATE JUDGE IN NOOKS CASE

The decision of Judge J. C. Marshall of the juvenile court, in the case of John Nooks a minor, who was held to be a delinquent and committed to the Ohio Reformatory at Mansfield, was upheld Tuesday by Judge C. H. Kyle when he denied a writ of habeas corpus which was sought by attorneys representing Nooks.

Nooks who is 17 years old, was implicated, it is alleged, with his father and brother, in the theft of two hogs, valued at \$70, from Walter and Harry Graham. He was taken before the juvenile court. Judge Marshall found him delinquent and committed him to the reformatory. His attorneys held that the court could not commit him to that institution without a jury trial, and brought habeas corpus proceedings. Judge Kyle held that the commitment was a correction, and not a punishment, and that the juvenile court had a right to commit him to the reformatory without a jury trial.

SHOW APPRECIATION OF THEIR TEACHER

Showing their appreciation of the services she has rendered to them

Famous Old Recipe for Cough Syrup

Easily and cheaply made at home, but it beats them all for quick results.

Thousands of housewives have found that they can save two-thirds of the money usually spent for cough preparations, by using this well-known old recipe for making cough syrup at home. It is simple and cheap to make, but it really has no equal for prompt results. It takes right hold of a cough and gives immediate relief, usually stopping an ordinary cough in 24 hours or less.

Get 2½ ounces of Pinex from any druggist, pour it into a pint bottle, and add plain granulated sugar syrup to make a full pint. If you prefer, use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, it tastes good, keeps perfectly, and lasts a family a long time.

It's truly astonishing how quickly it acts, penetrating through every air passage of the throat and lungs—loosens and raises the phlegm, soothes and heals the membranes, and gradually but surely the annoying throat tickle and dreaded cough disappear entirely. Nothing better for bronchitis, spasmodic croup, whooping cough or bronchial asthma.

Pinex is a special and highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, known the world over for its healing effect on the membranes.

Avoid disappointment by asking your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with full directions, and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money promptly refunded. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

WALL PAPER

Hanna's Green Seal Paint and Floor Finishes.

Berry Brothers' Varnishes, Liquid Granite, etc.

Johnson's Auto Necessities.

Chas. S. Johnson

17 Green Street.

throughout the fall and winter, the members of the classes in home nursing and hygiene of Orient and Spring Hill schools Mothers' Circle, gave their teacher, Miss Helen Evers, a very delightful little surprise Monday evening.

After the instruction for the evening had ended, the class invited Miss Evers to the home of Mrs. David Fitz in the Lively Apartment, where a little supper was served, and Miss Evers was presented a silver tea spoon, by the class.

The class will end its course with two more lessons.

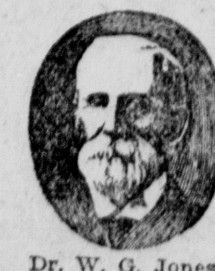
THE MEN IN CLASS A1

A sound, healthy man is never a back number. A man can be as vigorous and able at seventy as at twenty. Condition, not years, puts you in the discard. A system weakened by overwork and careless living brings old age prematurely. The bodily functions are impaired and unpleasant symptoms appear. The weak spot is generally the kidneys. Keep them clean and in proper working condition and you will generally find yourself in Class A. Take GOLD MEDAL Haaslem Oil Capsules periodically and your system will always be in working order. Your spirits will be enlivened, your muscles supple, your mind active, and your body capable of hard work.

Don't wait until you have been rejected. Commence to be a first-class man now. Go to your druggist at once. Get a trial box of GOLD MEDAL Haaslem Oil Capsules. They are made of the pure, original, imported Haaslem Oil—the kind your great-grandfather used. Two capsules each day will keep you toned up and feeling fine. Money refunded if they do not help you. Remember to ask for the imported GOLD MEDAL Brand. In three sizes, sealed packages.

WE HAVE WHAT YOU WANT
SOHN
DRUG STORE.

"HOUSTONIA" a Better Name



Dr. W. G. Jones

Protects the Public Against Imitations of the Original Jones' Liniment

The Dr. J. C. Jones Company of South Charleston, Ohio, have found, after nearly half a century of honest dealing and conscientious compounding of a meritorious product that the name "Jones" is not sufficient to protect their famous liniment against imitations.

Henceforth, therefore, this old standard household remedy will be known as Houstonia (The Original Jones') Liniment.

This change has been made for the benefit of the public who, since 1870, has depended upon this healing, soothing, antiseptic liniment for the relief of pain, soreness, stiffness, swelling and inflammation in joints and muscles; for sore throat, wounds, cuts, bruises, burns, scalds, stings, bites, sprains, strains, etc., in mankind or the lower animals.

Sold by Sohn's Drug store, Sayre Jones, A. C. Hawkins.

Houstonia Liniment is identified as the original Chillicothe Jones' product by its yellow label, the familiar portrait of Dr. W. G. Jones on the wrapper, and by the fact that this liniment does not smart, blister nor burn the skin.

Houstonia (The Original Jones') Liniment goes in without friction, penetrates deeply, quickly stops pain, irritation and inflammation of the nerves, joints, muscles and tendons.

The standard price of Houstonia (The Original Jones') Liniment remains, as always, 25 cents for household size, 50 cents for large size. Sold always in full-measure bottles, "the same as your daddy used, with the same picture on the yellow wrapper"—by all druggists.

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